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A Misconception of the Situation.
The merchants of Fairmont and vicinity threaten to boycott the Wheeling jobbers for two reasons. (1.) Because the Ohio Valley Trades' Assembly has placed a boycott on Monongah coal on account of the employment of non-union labor. (2.) Because the manufacturers of Wheeling do not take the coke of that region. The two grievances are in no way related.

(1.) Our friends of Fairmont and elsewhere who threaten to retaliate on the jobbers of Wheeling because the Ohio Valley Trades Assembly has placed Monongah coal under boycott lose sight of two facts. First, the Trades Assembly is an organization of wage-earners in which the jobbers of Wheeling have no voice and no influence. It is not long since some of them were boycotted by that organization during the strike of some of their employees. Every nail mill in Wheeling was boycotted by the Trades Assembly during the long nail strike, and the boycott lasted long after all the strikers had gone to work who could get back in the mills. The merchants of Fairmont and vicinity who threaten to boycott Wheeling would have as much weight with the Trades Assembly as the Wheeling merchants or manufacturers would have in an effort to induce the removal of the boycott on Monongah coal.

Secondly, no account seems to be taken of the fact that in spite of the boycott Monongah coal continues to be sold in Wheeling. There are persons in Wheeling as elsewhere who buy what suits them without regard to boycotts. If the complainants could reach directly the men who have placed the boycott on the coal of their region there would be fairness in the retaliation. To strike at business men who are in no way responsible for the boycott and cannot by any possibility have it removed, is to do what is not worthy of the business men who are contemplating this step.

(2.) The INTELLIGENCER regrets that the manufacturers of Wheeling have not taken more kindly to the excellent coke of the Fairmont region and has hoped that Wheeling manufacturers might find it to their advantage to lend their encouragement to the development of this important West Virginia industry. This hope is still entertained; but that the desired end is to be obtained through boycotting another and entirely distinct interest, to wit, the jobbing trade, is not in the least probable. The point of contact between the two interests is not close enough. Moreover, the coke producers of the Fairmont field will look in vain for a market that has been secured by other coke producers through a declaration of war to be made directly or indirectly. New business channels are not so opened.

If the trade which has hitherto found its way to Wheeling be diverted to Baltimore, Pittsburg and elsewhere, will those cities reciprocate by taking more of the coal and the coke of the Monongahela river region? Will not those products have to take their chances in every market as before? What satisfaction will West Virginians find in sending this much more money out of the State, first because certain wage-earners have declared a boycott, and again because Wheeling manufacturers have not appreciated Fairmont coke at its true value? Will it not be better to trust to time and the operation of natural business laws to right any wrong that may be involved in the matter? And will it not be more fair to discuss each proposition on its own merits?

It may be assumed that the business men of Fairmont do not endorse the boycott as a good business method when employed by wage-earners, that if it were turned against them at home they would denounce it, as business men of other places have, as being opposed to justice and fair play. How can they know how soon a conflict of interests in their own field of trade may not turn the same weapon on them? The principle would not be changed and they would find it awkward to change their attitude on the general issue.

Our Business with Chile.
The President gives Congress and the people full information on the Chilean matter. He puts the case clearly, calmly, pointedly. The facts are beyond question—our sailors were butchered in cold blood because they were our sailors, and our legation has been treated with studied indignity, our minister with conspicuous disrespect. So far from Chile offering any sort of apology, her government has left nothing undone to add to the original

affront. If we were to overlook the discourteous, war-provoking tone of the correspondence we would still be left face to face with the unatoned slaughter in the streets of Valparaiso. The mob started the violence and the police followed it up in blood.

We have waited for more than three months and violence has been followed by insolence. A country that would not resent this would be unworthy the respect of anybody, and would get no more than it deserved. The situation has come to this point, that unless Chile shall make immediate amends, apologize and pay, Congress must authorize the President to open fire on her and keep it up until she comes to terms.

The sooner the better. Chile has sparred for position long enough. The sooner we strike the sooner the trouble will be over.

An Awful Thought.
The death of the Duke of Clarence moves up a peg in the line of succession Prince George, second son of the Prince of Wales, who now stands next to his father in succession to the throne of Great Britain.

If Prince George should die without issue his sister, the Duchess of Fife, would come in to fill the gap, and the grandmother might be succeeded by her granddaughter. This is where the awful thought comes in which annoys the British aristocracy.

If the Duchess of Fife were queen her husband, a Scottish earl before his grandmother-in-law made him a duke, would be the royal consort. If he were a German prince there would be no prospective unhappiness. To have a British subject, one of their own class, lord it over them and packing the sinecures with his personal friends, so far as he might be able to command the pap tureen, is something not to be contemplated with calmness.

Feeling this way about it, and feeling so ardently as they do, it is a wonder that the British nabobs do not declare that henceforth they will have no British subject to reign over them. They might put up to the highest bidder the British crown and throne with the proviso that no bids will be considered from British subjects.

A Creditable Institution.
The trustees of the Wheeling Hospital make an excellent showing for the management of that excellent institution. Recent improvements have added greatly to the hospital's capacity for good and given it a new claim on the public consideration.

While the hospital is under Roman Catholic management there is no dividing line of any kind in its administration. Its benefits are for all and its generous support should be regarded by all the people of Wheeling as at once a duty and a pleasure.

The strictest economy is practiced in its conduct, and every dollar is made to tell. It should be relieved of debt at once and its power for good enlarged.

No Ride, No Fare.
If it be conceded that the street car company cannot avoid for the present the frequent detentions on its line, there still remains something for it to adjust with its patrons. When for any reason a car stops and the passengers are obliged to get out, they should have their fares refunded.

Yesterday a motor burned out and passengers who had paid their money and gone hardly a square had to get out, take another car and pay their fare again. This is not honest, and if the company will not do the fair thing Council should see what it can do to make the company see the error of its way. A fare is paid for a ride. No ride, no fare, is the right principle.

The Streets and the Sidewalks.
The city of Wheeling pays no attention to the accumulation of filth in the streets and makes no effort to compel compliance with the reasonable ordinance which requires snow to be removed from the sidewalks. As a result there are no crossings where the crossings should be, and the sidewalks are in almost as bad a plight.

If the streets and the sidewalks had been cleaned persons who yesterday had occasion to walk in Wheeling or who desired to enjoy the beautiful winter day would have gone abroad with the firm conviction that life is worth living.

What is the matter—have the people of Wheeling reached the conclusion that anything is good enough for them?

A Reasonable Request.
A resident on the motor line who speaks for many others wants to know whether managers of amusements can make it a rule to begin their entertainments promptly at eight o'clock, so that their patrons who must take the eleven o'clock motor or remain in the city all night may be able to see the performances through. Eight o'clock is late enough to begin. It is the hour advertised for the curtain to go up, and at that hour the curtain should play its part. Give the motor line people a chance.

So far as the correspondence shows there is nothing the matter with Minister Egan. He has done his duty and done it well under trying circumstances. He may be distasteful to the Chilean government, but he did not shoot our sailors in a Chilean city.

BEVERLY's fire brings upon that little town a heavy loss and entitles her to sympathy. She is situated in a growing part of West Virginia and energy and pluck will restore what the flames have destroyed.

The reception of the President's message in the house will interest Chile. There is but one party in the United States when a national wrong is to be righted.

CHILE has been writing diplomatic notes and setting up false issues to gain time and make all the preparation she

can. She has had time enough. If reason cannot bring reparation now it never can.

We may as well finish this matter with Chile before the weather gets too warm.

BREAKFAST BUDGET.

The size of the tree depends much on the place where it grows. The elderberry bush frequently grows to large proportions in the west. In Los Angeles, Cal., there was a bush the stem of which was thirty-four inches in diameter.

The new Parisian fashion in stockings are made with separate compartments for each toe. This is said to be a sure cure for corns, which are caused by the rubbing of the skin of one toe against that of the neighboring toe.

The largest sailing ship under any flag is La France, a five-masted vessel, that recently sailed from Newcastle for Liverpool with coal. Her length is 375 feet and beam 49 feet.

Russia has been visited by eight national famines during the present century, in 1801, 1808, 1811, 1812, 1833, 1840, 1860 and 1891.

Great Britain poured nearly 150,000 emigrants into the United States during the first seven months of last year.

An insane barber in Indianapolis lathered a customer with coal oil and tried to shave him with scissors.

Silver shavers are called "plate" from the Spanish word plata, which means silver.

A new silver match box has a compass set in the center of one side.

A Philadelphia oddity is a booth devoted exclusively to shoes trings.

There are thirteen miles of book shelves in the British museum.

PURELY PERSONAL.

It appears that "Adirondack" Murray was not the only parson which the Park Street church of Boston ever had who was found of lost horses. The Boston Transcript mentions predictions of this sort which the late Dr. A. L. Stone cherished in his day. It continues: "He saw no snare to the soul in having several animals in his stable at Brookline that could get down to his study at Park Street church with an alacrity that at first electrified some of his deacons. But Dr. Stone would ask one of them to try a turn behind a good pair and modify their misgivings while the brisk air cooled their knotted brows. Dr. Stone's defense, when reproved for making too fast time over the milldam on the way to church Sunday morning, was that horses were constructed for speed, at least his kind of horses was, and he was sure he could not hold them in."

Dr. Lyman Abbott, while talking to some Harvard divinity students the other day, offered this distinction between conservatism and radicalism: "The radical says: 'Break the shell and let the contents out.' The conservative says: 'Don't do it; you'll only have a broken egg and a dead bird.' The radical replies: 'If you keep the shell whole, you only have a dead bird and an added egg.'"

Colonel Soufflot, once in the armies of Napoleon, celebrated the 100th anniversary of his birth in Paris a few days ago. In honor of the event he was made a commander of the Legion of Honor. As long ago as 1813 Colonel Soufflot received the cross of the Legion. He became an officer of the great society in 1843. Despite his great age, he is still said to be comparatively healthy.

Professor Michaelson, of Clark University, whose project for utilizing the wave-lengths of light as a standard of measure has recently been described in the Tribune, is said by the Boston News to be "perhaps the handsomest and most popular gentleman in Clark University."

Father Anderley, the late superior of the Society of Jesus, was not only a man of polished manners and a natural diplomatist, but also the master of many languages. Besides Greek, Latin and Hebrew, he spoke English, French, Italian, Spanish and German fluently.

Dr. Joseph Tingley, who was professor of natural science in De Pauw University for fifty years, died early last week. He was for a time connected with the normal schools of Indiana, and was widely known in that State as a pioneer educator.

Miss Olive Ritsley Seward, adopted daughter of the late William H. Seward, and his private secretary during his journey around the world shortly before his death, is now contributing frequently to the newspaper press.

TEN BRIGHT PARAGRAPHS.

A New York minister has got himself into a rumper by cursorily remarking that he expects to meet his dog in heaven. It should be said in mitigation that the animal may possibly be of the skye breed.—Philadelphia Ledger.

"I'm so sorry," said Mrs. Parvau, bidding good-night to her guests after the reception, "that the storm kept all of our best people away."—Boston Herald.

No matter what a man says in church, you can tell where he lives by what he talks about the most.—Rum's Horn.

The street car conductor may be well met, but he is not always a success as a "hail fellow."—Washington Star.

Streams become full because their heads get swollen, but man reverses the order.—Augusta Chronicle.

It may have been observed that coasting as an amusement has its drawbacks.—Indianapolis News.

It's funny that education should lift a man when it causes him to get lost.—Birmingham Leader.

A man of words is not apt to be a man of many deeds to real estate.—Galveston News.

The benediction always arouses awakened interest.—Birmingham Republican.

The exercising of horses just before a race is the preamble.—Texas Siftings.

Wall of the Skirt.

Alas for me! how inwardly
My spirit is torn!
It's been decreed by all the girls
That in the mud I'll trail.

There was a time—oh, happy day—
When, as she crossed the street,
My lady fair quite tenderly
Would lift me from her feet.

But now, snick! I drag along,
By fashion brought so low;
I gather stains at every step,
And all for style, you know.

Oh, woman, pity me, I pray:
I'm vexed, and tired, and sore;
And when you go to walk again,
Give me your hand once more.

Don't experiment with your health. You may be sure of the quality of your medicine, even if you have to take much of your food upon trust. Ask your druggist for Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and no other. It is the standard blood-purifier, the most effective and economical.

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FOUND IN A CAVE.

Human Bones Discovered by Several Prowling Boys.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Jan. 25.—Sunday afternoon several boys, among them being Gus Jenkins, son of Captain Gethen Jenkins, and John Peters, son of John Peters, were exploring a small cave near this city. They found something there, while searching around with sticks, that caused their hair to raise. It was a pile of human bones, prominent among them being a skull. All were in a good state of preservation, but when it is considered that the cave or crevice in the rock is high and dry, this is not remarkable, even if the bones had laid there many years. The boys, horrified with their find after seeing the skull, rushed out to the outer world. But one of them brought out with him the lower jaw bone, which was undoubtedly that of a man. It was in a good state of preservation, but was broken on one side near the socket.

The Uncle Interfered.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Jan. 25.—At Fairview church, yesterday morning, a boy named Stephen Burford, aged about seventeen, was attacked by "Red" Cary aged about twenty-four, who struck him three or four times when James Withrow, an uncle of Burford, came up and told them to stop that or they would get into trouble. Cary then attacked him, but was taken away by the bystanders, after which he again attacked Burford and received a cut across the abdomen, being injured so badly that his bowels protruded. After riding about a quarter of a mile, doctors were called who rendered all the assistance possible, but pronounced the wound probably fatal.

Stabbed By an Irate Italian.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Jan. 25.—An Italian, whose name could not be learned, viciously stabbed a Panhandle brakeman at Mingo Junction at 3 o'clock this afternoon. A crowd of boys were teasing the Italian till he became insane with rage. The Italian, who was maddened with liquor, rushed first at a colored man, but did not attack him. The crowd jeered at the Italian, who pulled out the shoulder of P. J. Foley, who was sitting on the railing of the station platform. He was arrested before further harm was done. Foley was taken to his home at Wheeling Junction.

Murderer Smoots at Charleston.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Jan. 25.—Henry S. Smoots, the murderer of Susie Ferris at Shepherdstown, and for whose protection in the Charlestown jail Governor Fleming was asked for militia, was brought here this morning on an early train by Deputy Sheriff Morgan and guard and lodged in jail.

West Virginia Pensions.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 25.—West Virginia pensions have been issued as follows: Original—Benj. D. Gooding, Wm. H. Ringer, Jas. H. Doss, John H. Cobb, John Hamilton, Abner Settle, Hiram Riles.

Additional—Geo. W. Hunter, Uriah Dobbins.

Increase—Geo. Reedy, Indian Pierce, Virgil A. Gath, Geo. C. Williamson.

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